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Applicant : Daniel F. Williams, et al.  
 Application No. : 09/820,377  
 Filed : March 27, 2001  
 Title : Apparatus, Systems and Methods For Online, Multi-Parcel, Multi-Carrier, Multi-Service Enterprise Parcel Shipping Management  
 Grp./Div. : 3629  
 Examiner : Jamisue A. Webb  
 Docket No. : PSTM0041/MRK

## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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1. FY2005 Fee Transmittal (in duplicate)
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## Complete if Known

Application Number	09/820377
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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES	
	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0

#### 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

##### Fee Description

Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent

##### Small Entity

Fee (\$)

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Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent

50 25

Multiple dependent claims

200 100

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

360 180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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In response to the Office Actions dated April 5, 2004 and December 14, 2004 regarding the above-identified application, please amend the above-identified application and enter the response and remarks as indicated below. In view of the rejection in the Office Action dated December 14, 2004 of the Claim amendments submitted in the Amendment and Response dated September 4, 2004, the Amendments to the Claims below are respectfully submitted with the understanding that the amendments, including the new claims, submitted with the Amendment and Response dated September 4, 2004 were not entered. Therefore, the Amendments to the Claims below are respectfully submitted as amendments to original Claims 7, and 10-14; Claims 23-26 are submitted as new claims.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the **Listing of Claims** that begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Response and Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.